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### Volume XVII.

With this issue the Times enters upon its seventeenth volume having rounded sixteen years of existence under the same management. For the past ten years the Times has been published at Clay City and during this time we have not missed a single issue though we have frequently been a day late. We hope to be so successful in the future in this particular, but do sincerely trust new patrons may be added to our business antil the concern will bring in a little more profit, now that we have greater things to care for than formerly.

## Blau Gas Company Organized.

The Southern Blau Gas Company, of Louisville, Ky., has been organized with \$2,000,000 capital. H. G. Garrett of the Brodhead-Garrett Lumber Company chance of success in life, The 'saof this city, is Treasurer of the new company. This company in America is an indefessibly quan- aid. will manufacture Blau gas which tity. No written or printed receipt is in a liquid and stored in steel for success in life is possible bekits, so it can be shipped to any yond a few simple precepts; to be point and used. It is said that honest, and first of all, with one's this gas is cheaper than natural self and all others; to be sober, ingas; that it can be used with per- dustrious, dutiful and civil; to culfect safety, as it is non-explosive tivate good will by being good huand non-asphyxiating.

## Money in Kentucky Banks.

According to a report of retiring Secretary of State Ben L. Bruner, the combined banks and and amusements of the young, the trust companies of Kentucky have deposits of \$68,978,152.57. This is thirty dollars for each leading to bad habits, are acquired. man, woman and child in the Cards, not at all, whether for fu-State, but say, have you got your or money-for where they do not thirty in the bank? If not you should have.

ers' Association will petition the denied Legislature for an appropriation of \$18,000 for the free distribution of hog cholera su

Whotesome Advice to Young Men.

Mars. Henri Watterson, the le nowned editor of the Courier-Journal was once asked by one of his young men admirers for his advice as to how he might "make a success of his life," and in stating his case said, among other things:

I have been raised by a mother who has a horror of liquor and iw. morality. My recreations have been reading athletics and outdoor drill. I know 'little of the boys,' less of women. Would you for success in life, advise me to mingle condition, including the deficit more with men and women, to visit respectable saloons and drink moderately? Does a total abstainer have as good a chance to make bus iness ?"

The desired advice was given in an editorial of the Courie-Journal, and among other things says:

"We would say that the total abstainer has very much the best lections. loon' as it is commonly conducted mored; shun evil, hold fast and trust to God. In the long run the young man of reasonable aptitude who pursues this general line cannot fail. . . As to the recreation should be laken with care and tendperance, mindful low easily habits. waste morey they waste lime. They are, indeed, the last resort of the aged, to whom the more robust m The Kentuckey Swine Breed- out-of-door sports is measureably

John Kirk is in Maysville this

## Oist of Gov. AcCreary's Message.

Governor McCreary's message to the Legislature which convened in Frankfort Tuesday, contained fifty-nine pages of typewritten matter.

He starts out by heartily recimmending every plank in the Democratic platform and urging the enactment of laws pursuant thereto.

After making a detailed statement as to the State's financial of \$300,000 now existing, he urges the legislators to be careful in making appropriations unless they are sure there will be money available to pay the appropriations.

The adoption of a more practicable common school system, giving woman suffrage in school e-

To encourage road and bridge building with reasonable State

The submission to the people of an amendment to the Constitution giving the General Assembly power to classify property for the purpose of taxation.

from the State prisons

of Bunking.

of United States Senators by the corn. Mr. Blackburn says: "For direct vote of he people.

corrupt lobbying.

zens of each and every county le is caused altogether from eatmay determine for themselves whether liquors may be sold

The direct primary to be held public expense.

A corrupt practices act.

The creation of a Public Utiliies Commission.

A uniform system of accounting for all public offices handling money.

Laws for the protection of laborers engaged in hazardous employment and regulating the arbitration of labor trouble.

A law prohibiting peonage and he slave trade, regardless of color. The imposition of severe pen-

alties upon officers who fail to protect prisoners. Religious as well as civic liberty in Kentucky and opposition

to raising any religious test as a qualification for holding any office in State or Nation.

# To Prolong Life of Rail Road Ties.

The railroads of this country use 150,000,600 cross ties every venr. Many of them never rot at all, but literally wear out where the spikes are driven in on account of them continually working loose and having to be ngain driven. Some roads to avoid throwing away these ties that are sound but worn out are trying screws to screw the rails to the ties. They claim the screw system will prolong the life of the tie one half. Perhaps this the reason why ties are such a drag on this market.

### Bad Roads Again.

These complainants all agree that it is now too late to improve them and that work must be deferred until Spring. When Spring comes, then farmers are too busy to give the roads any attention, and pass them up till the summer and fall. When summer and fall comes the roads have so dried out and packed down that they are good enough without any work, so they are again passed up until a convenient time just before the wet weather sets in which it generally does just before we get the work done. Thus we have each winter the usual dangerons mud roads. We need a compulsory road working law, which, in fact, would be a law to compel road hands to do for themselves one thing which they most need to do and that which they will later be very proud of.

### Be Careful How You Feed.

We have a communication from Fred Blackburn, member of the State Board of Agriculture, ask-The removal of all politics ing us to warn our readers to not feed horses, hogs or cattle soured The creation of a department or rotten corn. He says stock in different parts of this and other The nomination and election states are dying from eating such Such laws as will destroy all just returned from Frankfort does know everything. where he learned of the many The extension of the present deaths in the other parts of the ocal option law so that the citi- State, and that the whole troubing diseased corn.

Senator Bradley has issued a On every hand you may hear statement from Washington incomplaint of the miserable roads. dorsing President Taft for the Republican nomination and has started a letter writing campaign in Kentucky.

> Ewen Bolin was sentenced to death at Jackson this week for the murder of Sam Crawford, a negro. Tee condemned man is white.

The Kentucky Legislature adjourned Wednesday until Monday to allow for the selection of committees in both branches.

At the close of the year there were 7,340 national banks in the United States. The capitalization was \$1,033,302,135.

John W. Langley, Jr. has arrived at the home of Congressman John W. Langley in time for a New Year's gift.

President Taft is quoted as saying nothing but death could keep him out of the Presidential

The New York get-rich-quick promoters who got away with \$5,000,000, have been given a year in jail. They should congratulate themselves they didn't steal a loaf of bread, which often means two years in the pen.

That New York mortorman some reason it seems to be much who asked the Colonel if he Organization and co-operation more dangerous this year than didn't "know anything" must among the farmers of the State negal. Thomas Welch, of near have felt awfully mortified when and also among the laboring here, has lately lost three head of he found that he was really talkhorses." Mr. Blackburn has ing to the only living man that

> Of the eight Presidents since the Civil War four were from Ohio. Ohio has also starred in vote

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### CLUB RATES.

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### "If I only Had the Capital."

The above words wen-recently inttered in our hearing by the worthy boy and undoutedly they are often capital has God given anybody? ing, with snow energi-"But if I only had a few thousands sleighing. December in each capital," says the young man. But these are better that cush capita, for no one can take them for you, and with these you can earn eash

Our men with wealth and pulluence did not start with any eash espital, They went to work with their plow, the hoe, the jack plane orax, and in time their expital brought them a rich harvest Ah! but there's the rab; you don't want to work. You want money on credit so you can play the gentleman, speculate and eml your career by playing vagabond You want to marry a rich girl who will support you, while you wear fine cloths, shoke eigers and be a gentleman of leisure.

Shame on you, young man! Go to work with the capital you have and you will soon make interest enough upon it to give you as much money as you need. If you connut make money upon what capital you have, you could not if you had a larger amount in cash. If you waste your present capital you would waste money if you had it. So don't stand around, a great hepless fellow, waiting for something to turn up, but go to work. Take the first work you can get to du and do it well. Always do your best, and if you manage your capital that God has given you, well, you will soon have plenty more to man-

The world would be happier if people were a little more generous with their praise. There is too much flattery but a word of just appreciation would cheer the heart and strengthen the hands of many a discouraged worker in the home, in the school, in the church, and in the world.

# The Year Without a Summer.

A Kentucky reader asks us to tell him of the very bad years they had in the days of old. In she year "eighteen 'humbred and starved to death" January was



the exception of a few days. The port a good time. greater part of March was cold and boisterous. April opened up warm, but grew colder as it advanced, ending with snow and ire and winter cold. Buds and llowers were frozen in May, ice formed half an inch thick, and corn was killed. Frost, ice and snow were common in June. Almost every green thing was killed, and fruit was nearly destroyed. Snow fell to the depth of three inches in New York and Massa. chusetts and ten inches in Maine, with the following papers at prices July was accompanied with frost and ice. On the fifth of this month ice was formed of the thickness of window-glass in New 1.10 York, New England and parts of bacco at Winchester Tuesday, 90 Pennsylvann, and corn was de. there being so much in the house 75 stroyed in some sections. In the date to begin selling was 1.00 August ice formed half an inch changed until the 9th of January. 90 thick. Corn was so frozen that a great deal was ent shown and reflerated by many who are out of two weeks of September were say "it costs a great deal of monemployment, or have ittle or noth | mild; the remainder of the month ey and halor " True enough, ing to do To all such we say, you have home capital, you have hands.

was cold, with frost, and ice had complete any great formed a quarter of a ruch labor? have home capital, you have hands, thick. October was note than thing without simily and labor? feet, bone, muscle, health and are usually cold, with free patice. Seaput these capital? What more November was cold and aster- gra-2000 00 quive mild and comfortabl - Home

## SPOUT SPRING.

and Farm.

Remember the regimal services at the Baptist church Saturday and Sunday.

Frank Margison, enr husting; merchant, visited his parents of Calloway's Creek over Sunday.

Miss Zella Sams entertained quite a number of her friends

mild, as was also February, with | Tuesday night. Every one re-

Kimbrell, spent Friday with the that cannot be cured by Hall's Caparents of the latter, Rev. and tarrh Cure. F. J. CHENEY &CO., Mrs. G. W. McIntosh.

Henry White, of Silver Creek, Mudison county, was here this week visiting his sister, Mrs. Wm. Edge, and his brother, Dave White.

R. A. Kirby, T. S. McKinney and Moses McKinney took their respective crops of tobacco and placed it on the loose leaf market at Winchester.

Several péople were disappointed in the sale of their to-

Boys, what are you going to do dried for fodder. Very little this winter? Why not attend ripened in New Eegland and the some good school for the next Middle States. Farmers were obliged to pay \$4 and \$5 a bushel five or six months and prepare for corn of 1815 for seen at the yourself tor some line of businext spring's planting. The first ness. Yes, some one is about to version he a leasted in and the world will

> a ... election of offivi some Lodge the 1115 27 . . . . a on mg officers were lelectu:

debu Baser, Master; Joen Swope, S. W.; Walter Smith, J. W ; D. N. W 111, Sec, ; Charlie Bush, S. D.; Charlie Clark, J D; Pete Mountz, Ivon

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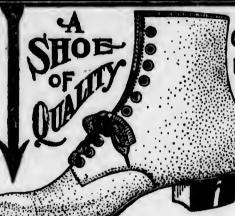
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LOCAL BREVITIES.

THI'RSDAY, .... Jan. 4, 1912.

Morgan McKinney, of Winchestr, is in the city on business.

Dr. and Mrs. Wm. C. Martin Stanton.

Miss Sadie McGnire, of Athol, spent the holidays with her brother, W. T. McGnire.

Henry Hnuter, of Winchester, spent Monday with J. H. Burgher.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Mize, of Quicksand, are visiting relatives in the city.

Doran Wood has gone to Big Stone Gap, Va. where he has employment.

Mrs. C. Shimfessel visited her daughter, Mrs. S. T. Hall, at Stanton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Whitt vis-Friday till Monday.

Ennis Rice, of Mt. Sterling, spent several days with friends in the city this week.

Rev. and Mrs. Robt. N. Bush, of Winchester, peut Friday with Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Martin.

Mrs. J. P. Coliver, of Ashland, spent several days this week with naturally seem that we would ber parents, Judge and Mrs. W. T. Adams.

Chrence Hazelrigg, who moved to some point up the road last Spring, has moved back to Clay City.

Harry Shattuck and family, of Bowling Green, have been with relatives at the Red River Hotel this week.

Miss. Friday. He will take a posittore the one of the stores at consumption. She was very weak 3 that place.

The dates for the Bluegrass Fair at Lexington has been fixed by the association for August 12 to 17. Jonett Shouse, who has been secretary of this association for a number of years, has been succeeded by John W. Bain.

C. C. Daniel, administrator of the estate of Allen Gravett, deceased, will have a sale of the personal property at his late res idence near this city Saturday. See posters for particulars,

Our January business at the BOOKKEEPING, SHORTHAND, beginning has been fine this year, better than for years before. May this good work spread to, if This school has turned out hunit has not spread from other chanels of local business and keep it up during the whole year.

The remaining state officers were filled Monday by the recently elected Democrats. In the Democratic cancus by a vote of 43 to 29 Claude B. Terrell, of Trimble county was nominated for Speaker of the Husne over Harry Shoberth, of Woodford county.

# Old Soldier Tortured.

"For years, I suffered muspeakaple torture from indigestion, constipation and liver trouble," wrote A. K. Smith, a war veteran at Erie, Pa., "but Dr. King's New Life Pills fixed me all right. They're simply great." Try them for any stomach, liver or kidney trouble. Only 25c at all dealers.

The bird law expired Saturday. Many had planned to take chester, visited Mrs. J. H. Burgha farewell hant on that day but er, Tuesday. the rain interfered.

The city board of supervisors composed of Messrs, J. B. Eaton, R P. Rose and A. M. Burgher were in session the first of the

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Rose are visiting friends at Covington and Cincinnati. Since their arrival spent Monday with friends in there Mrs. Rose has neen very

### Death in Roaring Fire

may not result from the work of firebugs, but often severe burns are caused that make a quick need for Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the quickest, surest cure for burns, wounds, bruises, boils, sores. It subdues inflammation. It kills pain. It soothes and heals. Drives off skin Fruit and eruptions, nleers or pites. Only 25c at all dealers.

The County Board of Supervisors are in session at Stanton this week. The Board is composed of Messrs. E. N. Wilson, George M. Derickson, J. S. Ewmer. The Assessors' book shows ited relatives at Morehead from not quite \$500,009, but this will be increased by the Board to at least nearly \$1,000,000.

The whole country along the L. & E. from Jackson seems to be flooded with negro tramps. They are laborers that have been working on the extension of the L. & E. and tramping back from whence they came. It would work one day longer and come back on the train, but they seem to prefer walking the railroad to working on it.

## Saves Two Lives.

Neither my sister nor myself might be living to-day, if it had YOUR ACCOUNTS SOLICITED not been for Dr. King's New Discovery" writes A D. McDonald of Favetteville, N. C. R. F. D. No. 8, "for we both had frightful Joe Mountz left for Sardis, Coughs that no other remedy could help. We were told my sister had and had night sweats but your wonderful medicine completely cured us both. It's the best I ever used or heard of." For sore lings, coughs colds, hemorrhage, lagrippe, asthma, hay fever, cronp, whooping cough,-all bronchial troubles -its supreme. Trial bottle free. 50e and \$100. Guaranteed by ail dealers.

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Ling. Hinema.

Dr. R. V. Pierce, the lounder of the Invalids' Hetel and Surgical Institute, and a physician of large experience and practice, was the first to make up an ALTERATIVE EXTRACT of roots, without a particle of alcohol or narcotic.

"It is with the greatest of pleasure, that I write to let you know of the great benefit I received from the use of your medicines and self-treetment at home," writes MRS, WM. IDEMS, of Ladysmith, B. C. "I suffered for three years from a running sore. Consulted four doctors but they failed to mend or give relief. Finally I was told I was in consumption and would have to consult a specialist concerning my ear, that the dead bone must be cut out before the wound would heal. A kind friend advised me to write to Dr. Plerce, which I did, and after seven months' use of tha treatment the sore is healed, and I enjoy better health than I ever did. I dressed the wound with Dr. Plerce's All-Healths Salve and took the "Golden Medical Discovery" and "Pleasant Pellets" for my troubles. I shall always a recommend your meanches. nend the would with seed the would with a Middled Discovery' and Tremmen Middled Discovery' a

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### BY HOWARD H. GROSS.

If one looks carefully over the pross clippings that come in upon the q . tion of good reads, he will he astonished at several things.

First, the widespread interest that is taken in the subject. Better h hways are being discussed everywhere -In the shop, store, the school, at the cross roads, women's clubs, grain exchanges, hoards of irade, railway meetings, etc. The advocates of good reads are as tblck as humble hees in a clover patch. All sorts of solutions are offered, most of which are impractleable, and if undertaken would he simply a waste of time and money. It eminds one of the remark of a philosopher, who, after listening to a your lady of voluble conversation, said "What a relief it would he if she would stop talking for a little while and do some thinking."

There are disciples without number who feel they are called to preach the gospel of good roads. They know little or nothing of the subject, but the desire is strong and impelling. It reminds one of the young divinity student with very little aptitude for the profession he proposed to adopt and from which the bishop was trying to disuade him because he regarded him as whelly inapt. The man maintained - he was called to preach and therefore he was to obey the summons. The bishop asked him in what manner the call had come. He sald he had had a dream in which he saw outlined in the heavens clearly in letters of white "I'. C.," which he interpreted to mean to go and preach Christ. The hishop told him he had no doubt he had seen the vision as stated, but he had misinterpreted it, and that the letters "P. "." In his case meant to plow corn. !' is so with the good roads advocates. many of them dolug more harm than good.

One enthusiast, who has been much in evidence, is telling the people how they can get good roads without money. He might as well try to hoost himself over a fence by pulling at his boot straps.

The good roads question is a tremendously hig one and must be handled in a big way. No one can master the subject in a short time. The writer has spent 15 years digging into it from every augle and he feels that there is yet much to learn. Some good roads enthusiasts have proposed the building of great national highways connecting all the capitals of the states, or a great trans-continental roadway from Boston to San Francisco, or from Chicago to the guif Such roads would he tremendously expensive, and about the only thing that they could be used for would he as peedways for automobiles. These are not the roads that the public needs.

in the building of bighways there are two great questions involved. One is the economic advantages to be gained from the transportation view tolat, and this mean

over which the food supply of the world must he moved. The other question is one of the social and educational advantages that follow good rad construction.

Fortunately it is true that the same lighways that would give the largest returns from an economic standpoint. re the mads hest suited to give the ble-hest advancement. Hence the need is not there great, broad, expensive i "liways, extending hundreds of miles in any given direction, but a network f good roads, nine to twelve feet wice, covering the main highways of the contry and centering in the marker towns upon the rallways. The wagen tere's are the velns of comwarme; the rallways the arteries. The is gest possible good will come from uen a condition that there will be a area and uninterrupted movement upon byth the filghways and rallways

the ughout if e year. Lators the economic advantages is that it enables the farmer to keep I: close touch with the market and nalte ins deliveries when in his judgment the best price can be realized Tiere is no do bt that a large per crutage—the solor portion—of the from weedness for the last 50 years it the Milister, a valley has been sold oil moved with read conditions as a deterning factor, it is, "ilooray the we hast out this genin to mar no, accessful because the price is

er year over and above what it onld cost to person the same service ver roads that are uniformly good. ne of the great world questions is hat of good roads, and the scoper the corle wake up to the fact the faster nd surer will our progress be toward igher and better thib gs.

Ti.ere is a wine read clamor for a arcel post and swong influences are t work to get the tederal governmen' ommitted to it. The Indications are hat it will be tried out on a moderate cale. Whe her the parcel post will rove a bless ug or otnerwise la an en question, and one we will not at and time discuss. We may say, however, that any attempt at the parce! ost that contemp ales extending the service to the rural mail routes will prove a disaggointment. The condions of the public roads are such that or weeks at a time it would be physically impossible to make delivery. The carriers are taxed now to the limit. if he starts out with fifty pounds over had roads it is a heavier hurden than ave times the weigh, over a good road. Given the parce, post in full swing and without doubt the weight the carrier must hangle will he .nany times what it is now. Any one familiar with conditions will say that without good permanent highways the delivery of packages over rural routes will he a physical impossibility. The first thing to strive for is good roads; let the parcel post come later.

## APPLYING LIME WITH DRILL

Success Made by Removing Rubber Pipes or Hose and Cast-Iron Boxes-Gauge Regulates.

Formerly my neighbors, as well as Lehave bad trouble with the lime clogging the rubber pipes or bose, and even the cast-iron boxes or cups to which the rubber hose is attached. So this year we removed the whole, rubhers, cast-iron hoxes or cups and all, and let the time pour down in small open streams from each opening as the flat disks pushed it out of the fertilizer box. it is a perfect success. and the gauge can be set to spread from 500 to 900 pounds per acre. The lime drops right down around the hoes and is partly covered by thein. Then we barrow the land crosswise. then drill in the wheat with 250 pounds of 14 per cent, acid phosphate per acre, put alike hotb on the four acres that have been ilmed and the four acres that have not been limed. The experiment costs little besides the \$5.70 per ton that the lime costs, laid down at our station, and "I want to know, don't ye know," whether there is anything in lime for clay land like mine which is aiready quite rich from the giaciai time deposits?

# World's Wool Crop.

Australasia, which includes New Zealexceeding 800,000,000 pounds twice as many sheep as those of the United States.

Now, really did you get it 1912 the first time.

According to the Government coal report there was an overproduction of coal in this conntry in 1911. Yes, and it is caused by an under supply of coal in the homes of the poor people in the same country. We think state of affairs should not exist.

# West Bend.

D. C. Murchead was an attendant ni county court at Stan inn Monday.

J. T. Huliges, of Kiddville, spent Friday with his sister, Mrs. f. A. Ogden.

Miss Cora Garrett, of Indua

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Fields, spent Saturday night with alone, a fine book of 150 pages, is Mrs. Richard Everman.

with the latter's father, Mark year.

Duckworth & Couchman have rented 300 acres of land in this end of the county belonging to the estate of A. II. Anderson for \$220 00.

## Darlingsville.

A. C. Barnes was a court day risitor at Stanton Monday.

A. C. Barnes bought of Berry Barnett a cow and calf for \$35.

Mr. and Mrs. Colie Prrtwind, of Mechanicsville, visited Mr. and Mrs. Carter Reynolds, of this place Weanesday.

Mrs. A. C. Barnes and son, Russell McIntosh spent a pleasant day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Berry Barnett at Spout Spring Monday.

Mr. and Mr. John Smethers, of Lexington, and Mr. and Mrs C. M. Woods; of Kimbrell, visited Mr. and Mrs. James Smethers at Waltersville Saturday and Sun

Jeff McKinney, of Hardwick's Creek, has been assisting his sister, Mrs. Emma Mountz, with her work. A good load of wood such as Mr. McKinney hauls is highly appreciated by a widow woman especially in the winter

News has been received form Cavington, Ky. of the serious emudition of Mrs. Edward Rose. Mr. and Mrs. Rose live in Old Clay City and their many friends here are auxiously wniting for good news from them. Her recovery was thought to be very doubtful.

The Rev. Iri R. Hicks 1912 Almanac.

Before the great drouth of 1901, the Hicks Almanac gave timely warning. For over two years prior to 1911, the Hicks Almanac again sounded a warning of drouth dan-About one-third of the wool crop ger. And so for forty years this of the entire world is produced in same friend of all the people has and and Tasmaula. Last year's crop steadfastly refused the offers of speculators and continued to warm flocks of this section coutsin nearly the public of the coming dangers of storm and weather. As they should have done, the people have nobly stood by Professor Hicks, their faithful public servant, who has grown old in their service. Seml only one dollar to Word and Works Publishing Company, 3401 Franklin Avenne, Si Louis, Missouri, and get his Magozine and Ain: anno hoth for one year. The Almanac

only 35c hy mail. Let every body Mr. and Mrs. Will Barnett, of respond and receive the warnings Winchester, spent the past week of our National Seer for the coming

# Very Serious

It is a very serious matter to ask for one medicine and have the wrong one given you. For this reason we urge you in buying to be careful to get the genuine-

## THEDFORDS BLACK-DRAUGH Liver Medicine

The reputation of this old, reliable medicine, for constipation, in-digestion and liver trouble, is firmly established. It does not imitate other medicines. It is better than others, or it would not be the favorite liver powder, with a larger sale than all others combined. SOLD IN TOWN

SUMMARY OF L. & E. TIME TABLE.

East Bound.		Effective May 28, 1911	West-Bound.	
No. 2. Daity.	No. 4, Daily.	Stations.	No. 1, Daily	No. 3, Daily.
Р. М.	A. M.	1	A, M.	P. M.
1:35	7:20	Lexington,	8:50	5:35
2:17	8:03	Winchester,	8:05	4:50
2:35	8:18	L. & E. Junction,	7:51	4:37
2:49	8:32	Indian Fields,	7:37	4:22
3:05	8:50	CLAY CITY,	7:19	4:05
3:15	9:00	Stanton,	7:10	3;56
3:21	9:05	Rosslyn,	7:05	3:51
3:28	9:12	Filson,	6:59	3:45
3:47	9:27	amptor Innetion,	6:43	3:30
3:52	9:32	Natural Bruige,	6:40	3:25
4:04	9:44	Torrent,	6:25	3:12
4:25	10:04	Bentryville Jci,	6:03	2:51
5:19	10:57	O. & K. Junction,	5:10	1:57
5:25	11:05	Jackson,	5:05	1:50
	11:25	Quicksand,	12.	1:25
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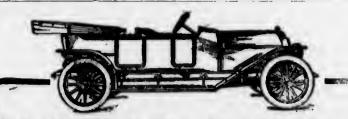
### CONNECTIONS.

LEXINGTON: Train No. 1 will make connection at Lexington with the L. &. S. for Louisville, Ky. No. 3 will make connection with the L. & N. at Lexington for Cincinnuti, O.

CAMPTON JUNCTION: Trains Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4, will move no inection with Mountain Central Railway in and from Campton. BEATTYVILLE JUNCTION: Trains Nos. 1, 2 and 3 will make con-

nection with the . & A. Railway for Beattyville. O. & K. JUNCTION: Trains Nos. 2, 3 and 4 will make control tion with Ohio & Kentucky Railway for Came City. By and O & K. stations

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